(i) One Drugs Inspector has been given the charge of Bhagirath Palace exclusively to ensure continuous surveillance.

(ii) Besides the area Drugs Inspector, the Intelligence cell carries out surprise check/indepth inspection and special inspection programmes with a view to detect spurious drugs.

(iii) During the period 2004-05 and 2005-06, 229 and 123 special inspections were carried out. During the period 2004-05 and 2005-06, 354 and 2230 survey samples and 76 and 69 specimen samples were collected to have a test check on the quality of drugs moving Bhagirath Palace market. But no sample has been reported spurious.

(iv) Liaison is being maintained with Delhi Police, Crime Branch in particular to get information and or jointly raid the suspected places to detect spurious drugs.

(v) Liaison is established with the reputed dealers/association leaders to gather information regarding doubtful activities if any being carried out in the market.

(d) The question does not arise.

AIDS control measures in Tamil Nadu

2488. DR. K. MALAISAMY: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that more than 80 per cent of AIDS cases are confined to only 5 or 6 States such as Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, Maharashtra, Nagaland and Manipur and the most affected is Tamil Nadu, which accounts to 46 per cent;

(b) if so, whether it will not be prudent to localise these States and confine the major activities of control with all out efforts;

(c) what are the special efforts taken in these States particularly in Tamil Nadu;

(d) what are the allocation of funds and activities under AIDS control programme for the various States for the last three years; and

(e) whether there will be special allocation and extra concentration on Tamil Nadu for tackling the problem?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) As per the information available with NACO as on January 2006, a total number of 1,19,445 AIDS cases have been reported. Out of these, 74% of the cases (88418) are from the States of Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, Maharashtra, Nagaland and Manipur. The State of Tamil Nadu accounts for 43.6% of the total AIDS cases in the country.

(b) and (c) As far as National AIDS Control Programme is concerned, efforts have been made to strengthen HIV/AIDS related services in these States. About 63.5% (1377) counselling and testing services and 71.2% (37) ART centres in the country are located in these six high prevalence States. Tamil Nadu State AIDS Control Society now has 54 Non-Governmental organizations working on high risk population, 100 STD clinics, 24 Care and support centres, 8 drop in centres for People living with HIV/AIDS, 730 Counselling and Testing centres, 37 Non-Governmental organizations working on Prevention of Parent to Child transmission and 13 Anti-Retroviral Therapy centres.

(d) A Statement regarding funds is enclosed (*See* below). The various activities under National AIDS Control Programme are as follows:

1. Information, Education and Communication activities.
2. Targeted Intervention Programmes through NGOs.
3. Institutional and infrastructural strengthening.
4. Training and capacity Building activities.
5. STI/RTI Care and also Out-reach Services.
5. Condom Promotion Activities.
6. Blood Safety and Voluntary Blood Donation activities.
7. Advocacy and Sensitization Programme.
8. Testing, Surveillance and Impact Assessment Studies.
10. Low Cost AIDS Care and support for people living with HIV/AIDS (PLHAs).
11. Legal and General Counselling and also Help Line Service.
12. Integrated Counselling and Testing Centres for primary prevention and counselling to the affected persons and Ante-natal Mothers.
13. Provision of Anti Retroviral Therapy (ART).

(e) In addition to the allocation of funds under NACP II, funds have also been provided by NACO under Global Fund for AIDS. Tuberculosis and Malaria (GFATM) Round II, III and IV for upscaling Counselling and Testing Services, HIV-TB Co-infection and Anti Retroviral Therapy respectively.

Statement

Details of allocation of funds under National AIDS Control Project-Phase II

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Sl. No.	State/UT	Release during 2002-03	Release during 2003-04	Release during 2004-05	Release during 2002-03	Release during 2003-04	Release during 2004-05	Release during 2002-03	Release during 2003-04	Release during 2004-05	Release during 2004-05	Release during 2004-05
											Global Fund	
		World Bank			DFID			CIDA			Round-II	Round-III
1	Andhra Pradesh	1290.00	1075.00	1692.45	800.00	1100.00	1360.00				370.22	5.58
2	Arunachal Pradesh	130.50	150.00	285.50								
3	Assam	614.50	475.00	1214.50								
4	Bihar	600.50	700.00	1079.50			150.00					
5	Goa	170.50	200.00	163.50								
6	Gujarat	136.00	550.00	565.00	906.64	600.00	992.00					
7	Haryana	315.00	300.00	266.00								
8	Himachal Pradesh	236.50	250.00	423.50								
9	J&K	295.50	150.00	279.50								
10	Karnataka	975.00	950.00	1664.50				50.00	150.00	200.00	199.44	5.58
11	Kerala	470.00	450.00	553.00	385.00	400.00	551.00					
12	Madhya Pradesh	521.50	490.00	855.50			150.00					
13	Maharashtra	1025.50	1000.00	1625.50							302.06	5.58
14	Manipur	787.50	1100.00	1847.75							141.74	5.58
15	Meghalaya	90.50	50.00	15.50								
16	Mizoram	311.50	450.00	571.50								

		World Bank			DFID			CIDA			Round-II	Round-III
17	Nagaland	626.50	675.00	1065.25							132.15	5.58
18	Orissa	148.00	300.00	430.00	300.00	200.00	100.00					
19	Punjab	403.50	250.00	371.50								
20	Rajasthan	358.50	250.00	867.50				0.00	0.00	0.00		
21	Sikkim	64.00	75.00	179.00								
22	Tamil Nadu	1295.50	1150.00	2043.50							316.48	5.58
23	Tripura	71.00	75.00	221.00								
24	Uttar Pradesh	1674.50	700.00	1070.80			200.00					
25	West Bengal	1503.00	1200.00	2028.00		130.00	365.00					
26	Delhi	431.00	500.00	604.00								
27	Pondicherry	74.00	100.00	114.00								
28	A&N Islands	89.50	100.00	180.50								
29	Chandigarh	156.50	225.00	228.50								
30	D&N Haveli	17.00	67.00	76.00								
31	Daman & Diu	36.00	100.00	101.00								
32	Lakshadweep	25.50	50.00	29.50								
33	MDACS	603.00	520.00	775.00								
34	Ahm'bad MC	129.55	150.00	208.30	108.00	145.00	232.00					
35	Chennai MC	186.45	300.00	157.45								
36	Uttaranchal	162.00	200.00	298.00								
37	Chhattisgarh	243.50	250.00	429.50								
38	Jharkhand	193.00	200.00	256.00								
	TOTAL:	16462.00	15777.00	24837.00	2499.64	2575.00	4100.00	50.00	150.00	200.00	1462.09	33.48

Sl. No.	State/UT	Release during 2002-03	Release during 2003-04	Release during 2004-05
	USAID Assisted Projects			
1	APAC Project Tamil Nadu	725.00	1091.00	1684.00
2	AVERT Project Maharashtra	665.00	600.00	885.00